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PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated July 12, 2001, be extended for four months to and including January 12, 2002.

Enclosed is a check for \$720 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, reference 12971-002001.

Respectfully submitted,

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